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Application No. : 10/643,149 Confirmation No.: 3604
Applicant : D. Brien SIROLA and Graham HAGENS
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Title : CONDUCTIVE CONCRETE COMPOSITIONS AND
METHODS OF MANUFACTURING SAME
Group Art Unit : 1755
Examiner : WOOD, Elizabeth D.
Atty. Docket No. : US 1354/03
Date : September 9, 2004

RESPONSE TO THE RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action of August 9, 2004, the period for filing a response to which having been set to expire on September 9, 2004, Applicants elect herewith, with traverse, the invention of Group II, directed to Claim 14. It is noted herewith that this election is being made without prejudice to the Applicants' right to file a divisional application directed to the non-elected invention of Group I, directed to Claims 1-13.

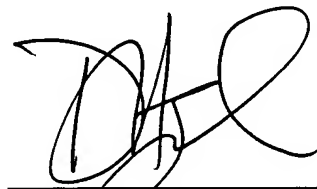
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In view of the above, examination of the application on merits is respectfully requested.

It is believed that no additional fee is due for this submission. Should that determination be incorrect, however, the Examiner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiencies to our Deposit Account No. 01-0433, and notify the undersigned in due course.

Should the Examiner have any questions or wish to discuss further this matter, please contact the undersigned at the telephone number provided below.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'D. Agarwal', written over a horizontal line.

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